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1. During 1949, 1950 and up to August 1951 the following number of loaded freight cars operated from the DDR to the USSR and other countries:

	1949		1950		1951	
	USSR	Other Countries	USSR	Other Countries	USSR	Other Countries
Jan	11559	3147	12495	16077	4506	26585
Feb	14516	14226	15743	18170	4343	24062
Mar	16107	16411-	22221	22160	4938	28329
Apr	15350	17743	18306	19754	5528	24358
May	17717	11371	17354	17103	5618	24634
Jun	15076	13106	15758	23124	6296	22725
Jul	13860	17699	17738	19804	6878	23253
Aug	16823	16369	19072	17701		
Sep	17590	18582	20989	14403		50X1-HUM
Oct	17986	16596	12379	19715		
Nov	16267	16167	11706	25608		
Dec	18051	19148	13154	26004		

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2. From September 1950 on, the monthly figures under the column marked USSR are to be increased by the following numbers of railroad cars while the figures under the column marked other countries are to be reduced by the same numbers.

1950 September	1686
November	2294
December	2655
1951 January	2463
February	1944
March	1894
April	2397
May	2097
June	2394
July	2511
August	2671

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Comment: The SCC order is probably connected with the shipment of uranium ore and designed to conceal the figures. The figures in 2a, however, seem to be too high to represent the number of freight cars of uranium ore exported, but as RBD, Dresden, would be expected to send other commodities besides uranium ore to the USSR, these other commodities are most likely included in these figures.

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